

Year of RC	Total Cannabis Seizures		Cannabis cont in Non-Solids		Cannabis cont in Solids		Cannabis-Concentrates		Cannabis-Dried		Cannabis-Fresh		Cannabis-Seeds		Cannabis-Synthetic		Cannabis-Resin		Marijuana	
	# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity
2021	Dosage	3,017	3,180,593	1,846	645,949	1,033	2,526,144	87	2,348	30	2,224	0	0	13	3,810	8	118	0	0	0
2021	Grams	3,471	2,985,709	345	78,255	742	295,687	452	121,692	1,883	1,966,838	29	26,744	8	25	12	496,468	0	0	0
2021	mL	5	93,029	4	93,000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	29	0	0	0	0
2021	Total	6,493																		
2020	Dosage	15,056	2,455,617	12,642	2,199,886	2,171	243,953	134	5,314	97	5,823	0	0	11	577	1	64	0	0	0
2020	Grams	3,342	2,980,305	449	54,323	810	265,070	361	50,385	1,654	2,558,709	39	9,194	16	3,201	13	39,421	0	0	0
2020	mL	7	71,735	7	71,735	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2020	Total	18,405																		
2019	Dosage	3,860	161,715	2,978	124,924	483	26,934	366	8,382	10	99	2	2	5	1,035	16	338	0	0	0
2019	Grams	4,903	735,980	843	89,461	1,417	332,280	582	54,932	1,903	230,910	103	1,048	12	2,367	43	24,983	0	0	0
2019	mL	8	62,089	6	56,085	0	0	2	6,004	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2019	Total	8,771																		
2018	Dosage	1,359	59,643	1,166	50,401	100	5,465	90	3,764	0	0	0	0	2	12	1	2	0	0	0
2018	Grams	2,673	375,828	117	7,131	254	34,524	146	3,317	535	58,356	20	148	4	70	11	951	81	12,701	1,505
2018	mL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2018	Total	4,032																		
2017	Dosage	2	80	2	80	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2017	Grams	1,973	181,516	0	0	2	115	9	154	29	925	0	0	1	1	0	0	64	4,901	1,868
2017	mL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2017	Total	1,975																		
2016	Dosage	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2016	Grams	5,105	393,934	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	251	5,092
2016	mL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
2016	Total	5,105																		

Source: ICES/Reports/Selected Commodities

Notes:

The term "Marijuana" was used for most Cannabis related drug seizures until late 2018. You will therefore not see any "Marijuana" seizures in 2019 and 2020. Likewise, Cannabis related seizures and its subcategories were not used until 2017 and not fully used until late 2018 when "Marijuana" ceased to be a category.

Dosages generally (but not always) refer to Cannabis products that are produced in a measured unit often seen in cartridges used for smoking/vaping.

These stats represent: All drug seizures are for British Columbia, All modes (Traveller and Commercial), All Ports of entry (Land Borders/Airports/Postal, ETC), All import and export seizures. The system used to track seizures do not differentiate between import and export seizures and are therfore all included together.

The stats also represent seizure counts. What this means is if one traveller has 4 types of drugs seized, it counts as 4 seizure counts.

		Total Cannabis Seizures		Cannabis cont in Non-Solids		Cannabis cont in Solids		Cannabis-Concentrates		Cannabis-Dried		Cannabis-Fresh	
		# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity	# of Seizures	Quantity
2021	Dosage	109	2,223.65	36	1,008.79	28	366.00	34	489.86	6	86.00	1	9.00
2021	Grams	261	26,748.33	37	5,566.28	47	11,477.53	28	513.60	123	5,174.90	12	2,908.00
2021	mL	1	2,130.00	1	2,130.00								
2021	Total	368											
2020	Dosage	62	1,721.05	20	778.75	15	321.00	18	407.50	3	48.80	1	6.00
2020	Grams	153	9,780.35	21	595.60	22	3,134.59	13	627.20	80	4,734.91	7	229.50
2020	mL	1	2,839.00	1	2,839.00								
2020	Total	213											
2019	Dosage	371	8,345.39	125	2,591.62	60	3,204.72	151	2,219.42	4	18.50	22	78.63
2019	Grams	430	37,258.00	78	21,463.28	87	13,862.20	70	664.38	181	1,226.19		
2019	mL	0	0.00										
2019	Total	795											
2018	Dosage	25	588.60	8	295.00	7	140.50	10	153.10				
2018	Grams	248	2,377.29	7	107.95	7	512.61	9	9.36	26	247.10	4	10.40
2018	mL	0	0.00										
2018	Total	264											
2017	Dosage	0	0.00										
2017	Grams	214	2,164.90										
2017	mL	0	0.00										
2017	Total	198											

Notes:

Source : ICES/Reports/Selected Commodities

Options - All Modes, All Seizure Types, Normalized Unit of Measurement, Northern Ontario Region

With the legalization of cannabis in Canada on October 17th, 2018. According to CBSA guidelines ;
 "Cannabis that is declared, and not accompanied by Health Canada authorization, absent other indications of non-compliance, should be detained and recorded as "forfeited" in ICES as a matter of routine." Therefore, a significant portion of cannabis related seizures in ICES are in fact forfeitures with no Customs Act offence.

Please note that for the purposes of these statistics, each type of drug seized represents a seizure count. For example, if a traveller has three different forms of Cannabis seized in one enforcement action, that represents three seizure counts.

Cannabis Categories in ICES :

- Cannabis contained in Non-Solids
- Cannabis contained in Solids
- Cannabis - Concentrates
- Cannabis - Dried
- Cannabis - Fresh
- Cannabis - Seeds
- Cannabis - Synthetic
- Hashish

Forfeited cannabis seizures

2021	178
2020	100
2019	507
2018	55
2017	0

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	Cannabis contained in Non-Solids		Cannabis contained in Solids		Cannabis Resin		Cannabis-Concentrates		Cannabis-Dried		Cannabis-Fresh		Cannabis-Seeds		Cannabis-Synthetic		Marijuana		Total
	# of Seizures / Forfeitures	Quantity	# of Seizures / Forfeitures	Quantity	# of Seizures / Forfeitures	Quantity	# of Seizures / Forfeitures	Quantity	# of Seizures / Forfeitures	Quantity	# of Seizures / Forfeitures	Quantity	# of Seizures / Forfeitures	Quantity	# of Seizures / Forfeitures	Quantity	# of Seizures / Forfeitures	Quantity	
2016	0	0	0	0	1	130	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	139	127,944	140
Grams	0	0	0	0	1	130	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	134	127,944	135
Residue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	5	
2017	0	0	0	0	15	3,809	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	153	86,259	167
Grams	0	0	0	0	15	3,809	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	148	86,259	162
Residue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	6	
2018	1,024	62,900	126	69,735	34	9,184	68	2,906	29	76,154	2	5	10	1,654	5	64	286	83,819	1,558
Dosage Units	5	11	12	270	0	0	2	287	1	1	0	0	5	214	0	0	0	0	25
Grams	473	5,602	67	64,189	32	9,184	22	207	27	76,153	2	5	4	440	1	0	279	83,819	902
Millilitres	547	56,887	7	2,278	0	0	40	2,105	0	0	0	0	1	1,000	4	64	0	0	597
Pills	9	401	44	2,999	0	0	6	307	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	59
Residue	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	11
Tonne	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
2019	2,522	150,865	847	46,050	0	0	268	58,741	163	40,079	19	14,700	172	4,322	28	2,712	0	0	3,691
Dosage Units	40	1,476	104	7,734	0	0	21	392	2	8	1	3	77	2,745	2	8	0	0	238
Grams	1,519	39,275	648	29,193	0	0	139	34,692	157	40,071	18	14,697	93	1,567	16	1,963	0	0	2,387
Millilitres	987	109,334	52	4,993	0	0	110	23,346	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	715	0	0	1,140
Pills	17	780	64	4,130	0	0	10	310	0	0	0	0	2	10	1	26	0	0	94
Residue	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
2020	1,855	72,231	1,250	235,909	0	0	240	48,456	783	928,126	35	1,907,608	272	11,543	10	616	0	0	3,859
Dosage Units	9	46	292	31,031	0	0	6	52	18	1,180	2	40	242	11,001	2	53	0	0	567
Grams	1,367	17,930	929	200,904	0	0	98	39,579	766	926,946	34	1,907,568	25	321	6	498	0	0	2,875
Millilitres	503	53,478	36	3,088	0	0	140	8,794	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	51	0	0	624
Pills	11	776	18	886	0	0	1	30	0	0	0	0	7	221	1	14	0	0	38
Residue	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
2021	3,156	273,333	6,201	3,032,920	0	0	163	17,372	2,990	4,903,701	29	634,188	229	15,735	9	5,338	0	0	12,332
Dosage Units	18	1,767	805	103,438	0	0	11	280	10	352	0	0	111	9,681	2	31	0	0	956
Grams	1,002	120,340	5,297	2,915,658	0	0	108	14,119	2,976	4,903,349	29	634,188	119	6,054	6	5,277	0	0	9,355
Millilitres	2,202	151,061	55	7,029	0	0	44	2,951	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	30	0	0	2,273
Pills	3	165	91	6,794	0	0	2	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	96
Residue	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7

Source: COGNOS, Drug Type Commodity Self-Reporting

Notes:

The "Number of Seizures/Forfeitures" column represents the number of seizures/forfeitures that includes the drug type or unit of measure. For example, if a traveller is in possession of 2 types of drugs, this would be counted as 2 seizure/forfeiture in the above report. The same applies to the unit of measure.

Since cannabis was legalized in Canada on the 17 October, 2018 any cannabis being declared by a traveller is documented as a forfeiture while non-declared cannabis is documented as a seizure.

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Year	(All)		
Row Labels	Sum of Format	Quantity	Sum of SeizureCount
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	5018012.02		607
Dosage	8024.07		322
Grams	8131.95		281
ml	5001856		4
Cannabis cont in Solids	107433.39		829
Dosage	7842.08		206
Grams	99591.31		623
Cannabis Resin	410.77		73
Grams	410.77		73
Cannabis-Concentrates	13402.6		893
Dosage	5975.53		385
Grams	7427.07		508
Cannabis-Dried	109109.03		3174
Dosage	178.5		34
Grams	108930.53		3140
Cannabis-Fresh	5831.58		281
Dosage	9		2
Grams	5822.58		279
Cannabis-Seeds	417.65		15
Dosage	187		5
Grams	230.65		10
Cannabis-Synthetic	1653.79		77
Dosage	342.55		36
Grams	1311.24		41
Marihuana	95841.76		2219
Grams	95841.76		2219
Grand Total	5352112.59		8168

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Commodity Type and SubType	Seizure Count	Format Quantity	Format UOM	Year
Cannabis Resin	38	204.91	Grams	2017
Cannabis Resin	2	0	Residue	2017
Marijuana	1185	46131.06	Grams	2017
Marijuana	18	0	Residue	2017
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	16	214.5	Dosage	2018
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	14	147.8	Grams	2018
Cannabis cont in Solids	7	75	Dosage	2018
Cannabis cont in Solids	19	618.31	Grams	2018
Cannabis Resin	35	205.86	Grams	2018
Cannabis Resin	7	0	Residue	2018
Cannabis-Concentrates	24	270.05	Dosage	2018
Cannabis-Concentrates	24	155.41	Grams	2018
Cannabis-Concentrates	1	0	Residue	2018
Cannabis-Dried	1	1	Dosage	2018
Cannabis-Dried	248	1686.4	Grams	2018
Cannabis-Dried	3	0	Residue	2018
Cannabis-Fresh	12	33.7	Grams	2018
Cannabis-Seeds	1	0.5	Grams	2018
Cannabis-Synthetic	3	10.05	Dosage	2018
Cannabis-Synthetic	2	38	Grams	2018
Marijuana	1034	49710.7	Grams	2018
Marijuana	21	0	Residue	2018
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	164	2702.09	Dosage	2019
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	104	2393.91	Grams	2019
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	2	856	ml	2019
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	4	0	Residue	2019
Cannabis cont in Solids	84	1760.5	Dosage	2019
Cannabis cont in Solids	197	33692.37	Grams	2019
Cannabis cont in Solids	2	0	Residue	2019
Cannabis-Concentrates	193	1430.42	Dosage	2019
Cannabis-Concentrates	215	1368.99	Grams	2019
Cannabis-Concentrates	7	0	Residue	2019
Cannabis-Dried	11	90	Dosage	2019
Cannabis-Dried	1104	10087.26	Grams	2019
Cannabis-Dried	21	0	Residue	2019
Cannabis-Fresh	1	1	Dosage	2019
Cannabis-Fresh	99	2372.68	Grams	2019
Cannabis-Seeds	1	10	Dosage	2019
Cannabis-Seeds	3	133	Grams	2019
Cannabis-Synthetic	21	236.5	Dosage	2019
Cannabis-Synthetic	13	531.55	Grams	2019
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	65	1476.3	Dosage	2020
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	66	3487.95	Grams	2020
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	3	0	Residue	2020
Cannabis cont in Solids	38	1818.08	Dosage	2020
Cannabis cont in Solids	150	26734	Grams	2020
Cannabis-Concentrates	66	2912.54	Dosage	2020
Cannabis-Concentrates	113	3297.52	Grams	2020
Cannabis-Concentrates	4	0	Residue	2020
Cannabis-Dried	6	12.5	Dosage	2020
Cannabis-Dried	777	56204.62	Grams	2020
Cannabis-Dried	9	0	Residue	2020
Cannabis-Fresh	1	8	Dosage	2020
Cannabis-Fresh	80	2328.79	Grams	2020
Cannabis-Seeds	3	176	Dosage	2020
Cannabis-Seeds	4	39.9	Grams	2020
Cannabis-Synthetic	2	7	Dosage	2020

Cannabis-Synthetic	7	102.15	Grams	2020
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	77	3631.18	Dosage	2021
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	97	2102.29	Grams	2021
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	2	5001000	ml	2021
Cannabis cont in Non-Solids	2	0	Residue	2021
Cannabis cont in Solids	77	4188.5	Dosage	2021
Cannabis cont in Solids	257	38546.63	Grams	2021
Cannabis-Concentrates	102	1362.52	Dosage	2021
Cannabis-Concentrates	156	2605.15	Grams	2021
Cannabis-Concentrates	7	0	Residue	2021
Cannabis-Dried	16	75	Dosage	2021
Cannabis-Dried	1011	40952.25	Grams	2021
Cannabis-Dried	7	0	Residue	2021
Cannabis-Fresh	88	1087.41	Grams	2021
Cannabis-Seeds	1	1	Dosage	2021
Cannabis-Seeds	2	57.25	Grams	2021
Cannabis-Synthetic	10	89	Dosage	2021
Cannabis-Synthetic	19	639.54	Grams	2021

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